

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of



Confirmation No. 6847

Allowed: May 8, 2004

SUGIURA et al

Atty. Ref.: 2018-326

Serial No. 09/635,138

Group: 2832

Filed: August 9, 2000

Examiner: T. Nguyen

For: STICK-TYPE IGNITION COIL HAVING IMPROVED STRUCTURE AGAINST CRACK OR DIELECTRIC DISCHARGE

* * * * *

April 8, 2004

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

REQUEST TO APPLY ISSUE FEE TO NEW NOTICE

It is respectfully requested that the issue fee and advanced order fees (\$1312) paid August 4, 2003 be applied to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) due (PTOL-85) mailed March 8, 2004. As suggested in the Decision on Petition mailed January 23, 2004, this request is accompanied by the new Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85(b) and a copy of the January 23, 2004 Decision.

Should any further fees be required for this application to proceed to grant, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 14-1140 under Order No. 2018-326.

Respectfully submitted,

NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michelle N. Lester", written over a horizontal line.

Michelle N. Lester

Reg. No. 32,331

MNL:slj
1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor
Arlington, VA 22201-4714
Telephone: (703) 816-4000
Facsimile: (703) 816-4100